IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Carl RUMMELHOFF

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Serial No. 10/578,884

GROUP 3744

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Examiner Not yet assigned

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING TEMPERATURE IN A BOIL-OFF GAS

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please inform us of the status of the above-identified application. The application was filed on May 11, 2006, and hasn't been docketed to the Examiner. Applicant respectfully inquires as to when a first Official Action may be expected in this application.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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